



Eddie A. Perez
Mayor

MAYOR PEREZ'S PUBLIC EVENTS FOR FEBRUARY 23 AND 24, 2008

---NEWS ADVISORY---

Saturday

12:00 p.m. --- Mayor Perez will be on hand to help kick off the 8th annual Latino Expo at the Connecticut Expo Center. This celebration of Latino culture will feature 37 different performances from Peru, Mexico, Columbia, Puerto Rico and many other countries. There will also be a petting zoo for kids and free diabetes and oral cancer screenings. The CT Expo Center is located at exit 33, I-91 Jennings Road in the South Meadows neighborhood.

6:00 p.m. --- Mayor Perez will talk about the importance of pursuing dreams at the Trevor Foster Talent Show "Know Your Divinity." This competition allows Hartford's youth (between the ages of 13 and 21) to demonstrate their teamwork abilities and creativity in various talent categories such as singing, dancing, poetry and rap. The show will take place at Weaver High School, located on 415 Granby Street in the Blue Hills neighborhood.

Sunday

9:00 a.m. --- Mayor Perez will greet attendees of the 5th Annual Black History Month Mass and Friendship Celebration. This event will take place in Saint Michael Roman Catholic Church on 7 Clark Street in the Northeast neighborhood.

For more information on the Mayor's role, contact Ramón Espinoza, Media Liaison, at (860) 463-1652